IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE MIDDLE DISTRICT OF GEORGIA COLUMBUS DIVISION

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

v.

FREDDIE BOWENS

Case No.: 4:24-CR-00014-CDL-CHW-1

ORDER

Defendant was indicted on August 14, 2024, ECF. 1, and arraigned on September 26, 2024, ECF 10. A pretrial conference is currently scheduled for October 15, 2024. Defendant requests a continuance, and the government does not oppose. Specifically, Defendant will need time to review discovery and discuss the government's case in chief.

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that the above-referenced matter be continued to next term of Court set for March 2025 and that the Speedy Trial deadline for the trial in this matter imposed by 18 U.S.C. § 3161(c)(1) be extended to that time. The Court finds that the ends of justice served by granting of this continuance outweigh the best interests of the public and the Defendant in a speedy trial because a failure to grant such continuance could result in a miscarriage of justice and would deny counsel for the Defendant and Government the reasonable time necessary for effective preparation. 18 U.S.C. §§ 3161(h)(7)(A)-(B). The delay occasioned by this continuance shall not be considered in calculating the speedy trial deadline under the Speedy Trial Act.

SO ORDERED, this 11th day of October, 2024.

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U.S. DISTRICT COURT JUDGE

MIDDLE DISTRICT OF GEORGIA